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Dear Mr. Bird:

RE: Release of Getty Mined Land Reclamation Contract for the
Mercur Mine, ACT/045/017, Tooele County, Utah

This letter is to advise you that the Mined Land Reclamation Contract entered into by and between the Board of Oil, Gas and Mining and Getty Minerals Company on April 28, 1983 has been replaced by a Self Bonding and Indemnity Agreement entered into by Barrick Resources Corporation and the Board of Oil, Gas and Mining. The Barrick's contract became effective September 19, 1985 and as of that date Getty Minerals Company is no longer responsible for the reclamation of the Mercur Mine.

Best regards,

Gregory P. Williams
Chairman
Board of Oil, Gas and Mining

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